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For:	LINEAR BRUSHLESS DC MOTOR WITH IRONLESS ARMATURE ASSEMBLY
Group Art Unit:	2832
Examiner:	Unknown
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